## **NEW MEXICO FY 2018 LIHEAP**

### PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SNAPSHOT

In FY 2018, New Mexico furnished LIHEAP bill payment assistance to 65,413 households. They collected energy burden data for 5,091 households (8%)

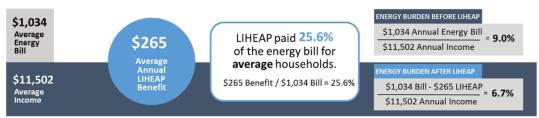
# Does LIHEAP furnish higher benefits to higher burden households?

**No.** In New Mexico, the total LIHEAP benefit received by high burden households in FY 2018 was about **\$6 (2%) less** than the total LIHEAP benefit received by the average recipient household.

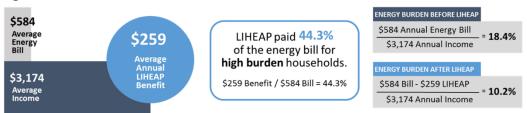
# Does LIHEAP pay a larger share of the home energy bill for high burden households?

**Yes.** In FY 2018, LIHEAP paid **25.6%** of the energy bill for average households in New Mexico, while LIHEAP paid **44.3%** of the energy bill for high burden households.





#### **High Burden Households**



### **Prevention and Restoration of Home Energy Service Loss**

As a Result of Bill Payment Assistance

Prevention (93%)
Restoration (7%)
12967 Occurrences
1030 Occurrences

As a Result of Equipment Repair or Replacement

Prevention (0%)Restoration (100%)0 Occurrences34 Occurrences

- In FY 2018, LIHEAP benefits in New Mexico prevented the loss of service 2,569 times, by stopping threatened utility service disconnections and by delivering fuels to homes that were at risk of running out. In addition, the program repaired or replaced heating or cooling equipment at imminent risk of failure 2 times.
- In FY 2018, LIHEAP benefits restored home energy service 3,302 times for households who had been disconnected by their utility provider or who had run out of fuel oil, propane, or wood. In addition, the program restored home energy service 35 times by repairing or replacing inoperable heating or cooling equipment.